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NEW UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Box Patent Application

Washington, D.C. 20231

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

FLUID DISTRIBUTION DEVICE

And invented by:

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IF A CONTINUATION APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply requisite information:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional

☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: _____

Enclosed are:

Application Elements

1. ☒ Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
2. ☒ Specification having 7 pages(s) and including the following:
 - a. ☒ Descriptive title of the invention
 - b. ☐ Cross references to related applications *(if applicable)*
 - c. ☐ Statement regarding Federally-sponsored research/development *(if applicable)*
 - d. ☐ Reference to microfiche appendix *(if applicable)*
 - e. ☒ Background of the invention
 - f. ☒ Brief summary of the invention
 - g. ☒ Brief description of the drawings *(if drawings filed)*
 - h. ☒ Detailed description
 - i. ☒ Claims as classified below
 - j. ☒ Abstract of the disclosure

Application Elements (continued)

3. ☒ Drawing(s) *(when necessary as prescribed by 35 U.S.C. 113)*
☐ Formal ☒ Informal Number of sheets: 1
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration
a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy) ☒ Unexecuted
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d) *(for continuation/divisional applications only)*)
c. ☒ With Power of Attorney ☐ Without Power of Attorney
5. ☐ Incorporation by reference *(usable if Box 4b is checked)*
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is Supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
6. ☐ Computer program in microfiche
7. ☐ Genetic sequence submission *(if applicable, all must be included)*
a. ☐ Paper copy
b. ☐ Computer readable copy
c. ☐ Statement verifying identical paper and computer readable copies

Accompanying Application

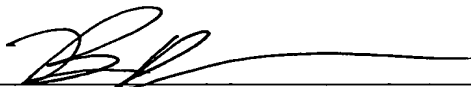
8. ☐ Assignment papers *(cover sheet & document(s))*
9. ☐ 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) statement *(when there is an assignee)*
10. ☐ English translation document *(if applicable)*
11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Acknowledgment postcard
14. ☒ Claim for priority document(s)
15. ☐ Certificate of Mailing
☐ First Class ☐ Express Mail (Label No.: _____)
16. ☐ Small Entity statement(s) -- # submitted _____ *(if Small Entity status claimed)*

Accompanying Application (continued)17. ☐ Additional enclosures (please identify below):**Fee Calculation and Transmittal**

The filing fee for this utility patent application is calculated and transmitted as follows:

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<u>CLAIMS AS FILED</u>						
For	# Filed	# Allowed	# Extra	Rate	Fee	
Total Claims	10	- 20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00	
Independent Claims	1	- 3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00	
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				BASIC FEE	\$740.00	
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CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicant claims foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119, for the above-identified-
patent application, based on the following foreign application:

GB 0101746.6, filed 23 January 2001.

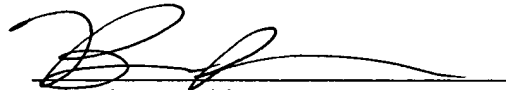
A certified copy of the above-identified foreign priority document will be forwarded as
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